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## INSURGENTS KILL ONE SOLDIER.

The Fight Occurred at Cavite,  
and in the Melee One Sol-  
dier Was Wounded.

## GEORGE HUDSON THE MAN KILLED.

He Had a Dispute With a Native  
Shopkeeper and the Insurgents  
Shot Him to Death.

## ONE INSURGENT KILLED AND ONE WOUNDED.

They Were Looting a Wrecked Gun-  
boat and Americans Opened Fire.  
When They Refused to Answer  
When Hailed by Soldiers.

New York, Aug. 26.—A copyrighted  
special from Manila to the New York  
Journal says:

There has been a very serious clash at  
Cavite between United States soldiers  
and insurgents, the riot resulting in the  
killing of one soldier and the serious  
wounding of another.

George Hudson, a member of the  
Utah battery, got into a dispute with a  
native shopkeeper. Fearing trouble he  
fired his pistol in the air to attract the  
attention of some fellow soldiers. Great  
crowds of natives ran to the scene of the  
disturbance and at once began firing  
their revolvers killing Hudson and seriously  
wounding Corporal William Anderson,  
of the same battery who had  
hurried to the assistance of Hudson.

A detachment of the Fourth cavalry  
was called and dispersed the Filipinos,  
who continued to fire their revolvers as  
they retreated, but without doing any  
more damage.

On the same night some soldiers doing  
guard duty saw a large party of natives  
stripping the wreck of a gunboat  
which was lying in Cavite bay. A boat  
with an armed force was put off from  
the shore. The soldiers hailed the natives  
who failed to answer. Then the  
soldiers fired a volley killing one and  
wounding another.

General Aguinaldo promptly denied  
any connection between the natives in  
these affairs and his army.

Admiral Dewey has transferred his  
flag to the cruiser Baltimore, the Olymp-  
ia having sailed for Hong Kong to be  
docked and cleaned. The Raleigh left  
for the same port on Wednesday night.

## JUAN HART GOT A GOOD POSITION.

The Texas Editor Is Made Interpreter  
to the American Military Com-  
mission to Cuba.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Captain Juan  
S. Hart, of the First regiment United  
States volunteer infantry, has been se-  
lected for duty as interpreter to the  
American military commissioners to  
Cuba, and has been ordered from Gal-  
veston to Washington, reporting to Ma-  
jor General Wade.

## FIRST GOVERNMENT SHIPS TO LEAVE.

The Seneca Will Leave New York Mon-  
day to Go to Porto Rico and Re-  
turn by Santiago.

Washington, Aug. 26.—The first  
steamer of the newly established govern-  
ment line between New York and  
Cuba and Porto Rico to start from the  
United States will be the steamer Seneca,  
which will sail from New York next  
Monday. It is proposed to have the  
steamers leave New York on this serv-  
ice at least once a week. On each trip  
the United States mails and stores, quar-  
termaster's and other supplies necessary  
for the islands will be carried.  
The Seneca will go direct to Porto Rico  
first and return via Santiago Cuba.

## Tariff Lowered on Butter.

Washington, Aug. 26.—The cabinet  
discussed the various questions concern-  
ing Porto Rico, Cuba and the Philip-  
pines. It decided to admit butter and  
butterine to Porto Rico and Cuba when  
stamped as such at 2 cents a pound.  
This is a material reduction, the Span-  
ish rate having been 6 cents on butter,  
while butterine was not admitted.

## BATCH OF NEWS FROM SANTIAGO.

Three Steamers Depart With Spanish  
Soldiers For Spain, and Shafter Leaves  
For the United States.

Santiago, Aug. 26.—The Spanish  
transports San Francisco, San Augustin,  
and the Colon left Thursday afternoon  
for Spain with 4500 Spaniards, includ-  
ing 15 officers, their families and four  
priests. Eight men died on their way  
to the ships. Their corpses were  
"checked off" as passengers. It appears  
that there have been many instances of  
this kind during the embarkation, and  
the Spanish transportation company has  
thus been enabled to collect passage  
money, a thing readily managed under  
the easy inspection of Americans.

General Toral, when bidding adieu to  
the Spanish officers and men who were  
leaving, said: "Conquered, we yield  
with honor to ourselves and to Spain.  
Whatever may be the future of Cuba,  
history will preserve the story of your  
heroism and your noble deeds in this  
country. We regret our failure and its  
cost in blood, but you nobly fought and  
nobly lost."

General Shafter and staff sailed Thurs-  
day afternoon on the United States  
transport Mexico. His departure was  
not marked by special incidents. On  
arriving at Montauk Point he will go  
with Major Milley to Washington to  
meet President McKinley and Secretary  
Alger, afterward proceeding to San  
Francisco.

Colonel Green, of General Shafter's  
staff, and captain of the signal corps,  
will remain for another ten days, or un-  
til he is relieved by Captain Leigh, who,  
with 50 men of the signal corps, is ex-  
pected on the Segurana.

Maps and charts have been prepared  
for the military telegraph and telephone  
service between Santiago, Guantanamo,  
Baracoa, Sagua de Tanamo and San  
Luis, all garrison points, and Captain  
Leigh will begin the work of stringing  
the wires as soon as he arrives.

On recommendation from Washington  
a bank of exchange will be established  
here. The scarcity of small coin is a  
great inconvenience and causes much  
trouble among the soldiers and local  
merchants and one result of exorbitant  
prices.

The transport Roumania arrived on  
Thursday from Ponce and the transport  
Orizaba left for Porto Rico.

The Berkshire with 350 convalescents  
from Sioney have sailed for Montauk  
Point. She is soon to be followed by the  
Berlin with General Bates and his staff  
and the First Illinois infantry.

## Whitelaw Head Selected.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Secretary Day,  
upon leaving the cabinet meeting, an-  
nounced that Whitelaw Reid had been  
selected as one of the peace commis-  
sioners. The commission, so far as made  
up, is Secretary of State Day, Sena-  
tor C. H. Davis of Minnesota,  
Senator William P. Fry  
of Maine and Whitelaw Reid  
of New York. The fifth member,  
Secretary Day announced officially, has  
not been finally settled, but Justice  
White of the supreme court has the  
president's tender under consideration  
and may be induced to accept.

## Comanche at New York.

New York, Aug. 26.—The United  
States transport Comanche has arrived  
from Montauk Point. The Comanche  
landed 500 officers and men of the Twen-  
ty-fifth infantry at Montauk Point from  
Santiago.

## No Disatisfaction in Japan.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Minister Buck,  
at Tokyo, Japan, writes the department  
of state that he has observed no disat-  
isfaction there in consequence of the an-  
nexation of the Hawaiian Islands by  
the United States.

## Some Illinois Troops Reach Home.

Chicago, Aug. 26.—The hospital train  
provided for the First regiment of Illi-  
nois cavalry has arrived at Fort Sheri-  
dan bearing 154 troopers. Of the pa-  
tients about only 11 are down with ty-  
phoid fever. The remainder are sick  
with malarial and camp fever, but are  
not dangerous. The hospital train left  
Chattanooga at midnight Wednesday  
and was hurried north as fast as the  
condition of the men would permit.  
These men are the advance of the  
whole regiment of the First Illinois vol-  
unteer cavalry that will arrive on sev-  
eral trains over the Chicago and Eastern  
Illinois railroad. Preparations to give  
the returning men a hearty reception  
have been made.

## Steamship Reported Ashore.

New York, Aug. 26.—The United  
States steamship Prairie is reported to  
be ashore three miles east of Amagan-  
zett, L. I. She has 400 troops aboard.  
All are reported safe and well, and as-  
sistance has been sent.

## State-seven Car Loads of Beer.

Milwaukee, Aug. 26.—What may be  
expected in the way of increased com-  
merce between the United States and its  
newly acquired territory may be illus-  
trated by an order for bottled beer re-  
ceived by one of the brewing companies

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cabled an order for 67 carloads for im-  
mediate shipment. The cars are being  
loaded and will be forwarded by special  
train.

## Fugitive Dies From His Fight.

New York, Aug. 26.—Alexander Scott,  
the pugilist, died at the Norwegian hos-  
pital of uramic convulsions brought on  
by his exertions in the fight with Tom-  
my Butler at Greenwood Athletic club,  
in Brooklyn last night. Butler and sec-  
onds are under arrest.

## Cashier Disappears.

Rosedale, Miss., Aug. 26.—W. A.  
Martin, cashier of the Bank of Rosedale,  
which suspended operations Aug. 17,  
has disappeared. It is learned that so  
far as the examination has proceeded,  
the shortage in Martin's accounts is  
\$5000. Receiver Scott believes that,  
notwithstanding the cashier's defalcation,  
the bank will balance the liabilities  
which the records to date show to be  
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